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PADUCAH, KY., MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1905.

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A BATTLE LIKELY IN THE NEAR FUTURE

Effort to Cut off Kuroki--More Talk of Peace in the Far East.

Does It Mean Peace?

Berlin, Feb. 20.—The Tageblatt reports that the party has gained the upper hand in the Russian court, eclipsing the hitherto predominance of the war party. Peace, says the paper, is now in sight in the Far East.

Father Gopon Unfrooked.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 20.—The consistory today officially announced that Father Gopon, who led the strikers in the recent attempt to obtain concessions from the authorities, and whose whereabouts are at present unknown to the Russian officials, has been unfrooked.

To Turn Kuroki's Right.

Tokio, Feb. 20.—A Russian force south of Mukden has constructed a light railway from Pushun to Yenling and from Pushun to the Upper

Shanhe river. This move is thought to presage an attempt on part of Gen. Kuropatkin to turn Gen. Kuroki's right.

Part of the Fleet Arrives.

Copenhagen, Feb. 20.—Four Russian ironclads, three cruisers and five transports, presumably a portion of the third Russian Baltic squadron, which left Libau last week, are anchored under Langelan this morning.

Third Baltic Squadron.

London, Feb. 20.—The Copenhagen correspondent of the exchange telegraph wires that the third Russian Baltic squadron is now steaming northward through the Great Belt. It was escorted by Danish torpedo boats and while passing through the Baltic Sea, German ironclads escorted the fleet, leaving the Russians when Danish waters were reached.

MEETING HERE.

Of Men Interested in the Sewanee Spoke and Lumber Co.

Messrs. L. A. Boil, Jr., of Kuttawa; J. D. Leech, of Princeton, and T. J. Watkins and M. P. Mallory, of Eddyville, are in the city attending a meeting of the stockholders, officers, trustees and creditors of the Sewanee Spoke and Lumber Co., a concern at Kuttawa, which is operated under the directions of Paducah men. The meeting is being held at the Palmer House and is for the purpose of deciding what course to pursue in the management of the affairs of the concern.

Last August the affairs of the company were placed in the hands of three trustees, President George Thompson, American-German bank; Sam Hughes, City National bank, and Ed Noble, president of the Globe Bank and Trust Co., and they had been directing the business since. This arrangement was made because of a debt of about \$54,000. The meeting began this morning but nothing definite was done and this afternoon at 3:50 will be resumed.

ONLY ONE DEAD.

Explosion At Sedalia One of Worst in History of County.

Although the explosion of the Ray Flour Mill boiler at Sedalia last Saturday afternoon was one of the worst in the history of Southwest Kentucky, only one death has occurred thus far. This was of George Lambert, a farmer who had his grind at the mill.

But Ernest Ray were badly hurt, but it is thought will recover. Zolton and Tom Ray, youths, were hurt and a little girl had an arm broken and a boy named McClure was hurt.

The boiler was blown 75 yards, and the mill was wrecked. James Wyatt, who was passing in a buggy, was blown out and badly hurt and his horse was killed. The damage is estimated at \$20,000. No other deaths are expected.

PADUCAH CROWD

Looks at Ice Gorge and Visits Smithland.

Col. Ben Weille, Dr. J. R. Grogan, Gus Edwards, George LaMore and Henry E. Thompson went up to Smithland yesterday in the gasoline boat Alert, run by Mr. Walter Wilkins, to see the ice gorge.

The party stopped at Smithland on return trip and spent some time in that town.

A Kentucky Bride.

Obion, Tenn., Feb. 20.—Robert S. Kendall, of Obion county, and Mrs. Maggie Watson, of Folsomdale, Ky., were married at the home of Bob Thompson. The groom is one of the pioneer citizens of Obion county, is 75 years old, and the bride is 63 years. The groom is the father of six living sons and one daughter. He has forty-five living grandchildren and nineteen great-grandchildren, numbering in all seventy-one descendants.

IMPROVEMENT WORK BEGINS SHORTLY NOW

Evansville Contractor Arrived in the City Today.

Fire Equipment Agent Arrives—Third Street Improvement Ordinance Tonight.

AND OTHER LATE CITY NEWS

Contractor Harry Baldwin, who has a sub-contract to build sidewalks on Broadway, returned from Evansville yesterday after a several weeks' absence. Contractor Baldwin was in the city the greater part of last year, and when the weather became bad for work, went to Evansville to await spring.

He brought with him today Mr. William Bedford, of the firm Bedford & Nugent, Evansville, street work and general contractors.

Mr. Bedford claims that his is the best equipped firm in this part of the country, and he is here to look over the city and decide whether or not he wants to bid on the street-paving, the new sidewalks and other improvements to be built here this year.

The ordinance for improving South Third street from Kentucky to Broad will come up tonight at the regular meeting of the council, and it is likely that a lively fight will be precipitated between some of the residents who own no property and would not have to pay any of the costs, and who want the street paved, and some of the property owners who would have to pay heavily for the improvement and do not for this reason want it. It is claimed that Councilman Rigglesberger alone owns about 800 feet along the street and may fight it for that reason, as the cost to his company would be enormous.

It is claimed by one side that most of the property owners are against the street's being paved, while those for it are largely renters who realize it will be a good improvement and greatly benefit that part of town, but who own no property and would not have to pay any of the costs. Third street was not favored originally by the board of works, who realized that it was not yet time for paving Third street so far up, and that the cost to some of the property owners would be more than the property is worth.

The boards at their next regular meeting will probably take up the matter of building a concrete culvert on Caldwell street where the farthest bridge and fill are located. The cost will be about \$2,000, and while the funds are not on hand now the work is said to be advisable, if not imperative.

City Engineer Washington has recommended the rebuilding of the bridge in his two last annual reports, but the city has done nothing towards it. Engineer Washington said today that while there was not the slightest danger and the bridge is safe, highwater may at any time come up and wash into the fill and cause the whole thing to give way. The only danger is from high water, and the city will take every precaution to protect the present bridge and fill in case the river comes up, but it is hoped to have the structure rebuilt.

Mr. Charles E. Johnson representative of the Seagrave company, of Columbus, O., which furnished the city with the new fire equipment, is in the city today and this morning held a conference with Mayor Yeiser, Fire Chief Wood, and several aldermen and councilmen relative to the new fire chief buggy and truck the city desires to purchase.

Mr. Johnson happened to be passing through, and noticing the city intended buying a new truck and buggy, decided to pay the mayor a visit. The meeting of the joint committee with representatives will not come for several days yet but the members of the committee met with Mr. Johnson to see what he could offer. Nothing definite was decided.

Mayor D. A. Yeiser stated today that he would probably call the committee together to name the new city hospital tomorrow night.

The doctors are urging that the city hospital be named and furnished but Mayor Yeiser is in a quandary as

CLYDE STRUCK LOG

SMALL HOLE MADE AND SHE ARRIVES LEAKING.

Accident Is Not Serious and She Goes Out Again Next Wednesday.

The steamer Clyde, of the St. Louis and Tennessee River Packet Co., came in yesterday leaking from a hole in the bottom of her hull, but the leak was not big, and the pumps kept the hull practically free from water.

The Clyde, in going into Pickwick Landing, about 256 miles up the Tennessee river below Waterloo, Ala., ran onto a big snag or log, and it crushed the wood in the hull two or three feet long, but did not make a bad hole.

The boat was able to come on to Paducah and go to Brookport to unload, little the worse for the accident.

She will be hauled out on the ways for repairs, and will be off tomorrow and able to leave on her regular trip Wednesday.

BUY COLUMBIA

BIG STEAMER PURCHASED BY DAVENPORT MEN.

She Belonged to Lamb Brothers and Will Be Converted Into Excursion Steamer.

Capt. Walter Blair, of Davenport, Ia., and his partner, Capt. Dodd, of Keokuk, have bought the big steamer Columbia, of Clinton, Ia., and will convert her into a handsome excursion steamer.

The Columbia has been the property of Lamb Bros., of Clinton, Ia., and negotiations for her sale had been on for some time past.

The Columbia has been in Duck's Nest here since December in winter quarters.

Capt. H. S. Young, of the Columbia, is also here. It is not known what was paid for the steamer, but it is understood that the price was \$12,000, and this is likely about what was paid for her.

She will be made into an excursion boat of the Mississippi river trade, in time to begin running in the spring. It has not yet been decided where the work will be done, but it may be done in Paducah.

MAYFIELD MAN

Died of Pneumonia at Colorado Springs.

News of the death of Willard Watson, son of ex-Senator J. D. Watson, of Mayfield, at Cripple Creek, Col., yesterday, was received last night.

Young Watson had been gone about three months and died of pneumonia. About one month ago he was married and his wife is said to be precariously ill, too.

W. A. Rodgers Assigns.

Kenton, Tenn., Feb. 20.—W. A. Rodgers, a merchant of the Fifth district, has made an assignment, naming Sam Posey as assignee. The liabilities are about four thousand dollars, with assets at two thousand in merchandise and seven hundred in accounts.

The creditors are merchants of Paducah, Cairo, Louisville and other places. The two largest creditors are L. B. Carpenter and S. F. Rodgers, of Elbridge.

Sleep of 147 Hours Broken.

Columbus, Ind., Feb. 20.—A sleep which continued for 147 hours, caused by a two-grain dose of morphine, mistaken for headache powders, was broken today, when the physicians succeeded in reviving Chloe Alexander, fourteen years old. Since last Friday morning, when her teacher found her asleep on her desk in the schoolroom, the girl had slept continuously, despite the efforts of physicians who were in constant attendance. No ill-effects are perceptible.

A self-made man is seldom capable of loving more than once.

to where the money to furnish the institution is coming from, the city having no funds for this.

THE GRIM REAPER HAVING MUCH TO DO

Contractor J. W. Coles Died from Consumption Yesterday

Death of Young Lady From Consumption—Mrs. Eugenia Gilbert's Funeral.

SEVERAL CHILDREN ARE DEAD

Mr. J. W. Coles, a well known contractor of 717 South Eleventh street, died Sunday morning at 11:10 o'clock of complication of diseases after an illness of a few weeks.

The deceased was born in Logan county, Tennessee, 59 years ago and had been living in Kentucky about 31 years. He leaves a wife, three sons, Messrs. Harry, Earl and Van Coles and two daughters, Gracie and Mary Coles, five and three years old respectively.

The deceased was a member of the Golden Cross lodge and will be buried tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Cumberland Presbyterian church under the auspices of the order. He was a popular man and his many friends will regret to learn of his death.

Miss Mabel Phelps, aged 24, died at 5:30 o'clock last evening from consumption at her home, 620 South Thirteenth street. She had been ill for some time, and leaves a mother, Mrs. Eliza Phelps. The remains will tomorrow be taken to Briensburg, Marshall county, for burial.

Lawrence Drennan, age 15, the son of a widow of Mechanicsburg, died yesterday afternoon about 5:30 o'clock of consumption after an illness of several months.

The boy about a year ago was employed by the I. C. to carry water to workmen on the railroad near the Sowell mill, and in some way fell under a car and his left leg amputated above the knee.

He was taken to the hospital and remained there for four months, until his leg healed, and was then taken home, where he developed consumption.

Mr. J. A. Ryburn, a clerk in the local I. C. master mechanics' office, returned this morning from near West Plains, Graves county, where he was called by the death of his grandmother, Mrs. F. W. Taylor, who died at 2 o'clock this morning of old age and a gripe.

The deceased was 83 years of age. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock, interment at Mount Pisgah cemetery.

Mr. Taylor, husband of the deceased, is also ill and in a precarious condition, and Mr. Ryburn will return to Mayfield tomorrow to attend the funeral of his grandmother and attend the bedside of his grandfather.

The funeral of Miss Maude Leflingwell, who died Friday at Melber, was held yesterday at noon at the residence of her grandmother, Mrs. Morris, interment at Morris' graveyard. Miss Leflingwell was for some time chief operator at the local Cumberland telephone company toll rooms and was popular with all the employees and patrons. A number of telephone girls went down yesterday to attend the funeral, taking many flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gamble, of Worthen's addition, are mourning the death of one of their fourteen days' old twins. The remains were taken to Mayfield for burial.

The remains of Johnnie Martin, the old man who died over Marcoff's saloon Friday, were buried at Oak Grove yesterday morning.

The remains of the late Mrs. Eugenia Gilbert arrived from Lexington, N. C., Saturday night and the funeral took place from the Broadway Methodist church, yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, services by Rev. T. J. Newell. The burial was at Oak Grove.

Woman's inhumanity to man makes the divorce lawyer happy.

MORE NEW ONES

COME IN TO JOIN THE COMMERCIAL CLUB.

The Banquet Will Not Be Arranged For Over a Week Yet.

The soliciting committee of the Commercial club is receiving encouragement in every form and since Saturday several firms and individuals have come up unsolicited and joined the association.

The last are: Dr. R. A. Hicks, Gus Smith, Exall & Co., Sutherland Medicine Co., Dr. Horace Rivers.

The committee has been working for some time now and has secured a total membership to date of 206. Only two merchants have turned the committee down, and the members think there is no doubt but that the desired 500 members will be secured and will work harder when better weather sets in.

The meeting of the citizens' committee to arrange for a big banquet, which was originally set for Wednesday has been postponed until Tuesday, a week from tomorrow, on account of the bad weather.

HARGIS CLAN DENIES.

W. H. Blanton, Who Made Statement About Breathitt Men, Retracts Interview.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 20.—Judge James Hargis, Elbert Hargis and Sheriff Edward Callahan, all of Breathitt county and under indictment in the Fayette circuit court for the assassination of James Cockrell, collared W. H. Blanton, county attorney of Breathitt county, in the lobby of the Leland hotel and made him deny the sensational charges he made against Judge Hargis this afternoon. Blanton was on his way to Frankfort to testify before the court of appeals when, it is said he gave out this interview, all of which he denied in the presence of Judge Hargis, and claims he was misunderstood.

Two persons insist that Blanton did give out the interview in question.

Hargis Case Continued.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 20.—The court of appeals continued until next Saturday, February 25, the case of the Hargis clan on motion of their attorney, Judge Hazelrigg.

CARDINAL TO REST.

Arrives in New Orleans and Goes to Brother's House.

New Orleans, Feb. 20.—Delayed by recent washouts in Mississippi, Cardinal Gibbons arrived here, accompanied by Father Fletcher, his secretary, and Fathers Bolan, Riordan and Wheelan.

A party of relatives and friends met the cardinal at the depot. The cardinal, who was fatigued by his journey, was driven to the home of his brother, John Gibbons, where he will stay during his visit. The cardinal said he came to New Orleans to rest and recuperate.

Bedford Murder Mystery.

Bedford, Ind., Feb. 20.—Judge Wilson has called the grand jury to meet today, the first day of February term of the Lawrence circuit court, to begin the investigation of the alleged confession of Elmer Browning concerning the murder of Sarah Schafer on the night of January 21, 1904. Deputy Prosecutor Fletcher and Attorney John H. Underwood, who directed the prosecution at the preliminary trial of Browning and Evans, claim to have circumstantial evidence that was not submitted at the preliminary trial, but which is to be submitted to the grand jury. Mr. Underwood may go before the grand jury as a witness.

Mrs. Roosevelt's Gown.

Paterson, N. J., Feb. 20.—The silk for the inaugural gown of Mrs. Roosevelt has just been shipped from this city to Washington, where it will be made up by skillful modistes. It is of heavy brocade, with a background of pretty blue, through which, at various intervals is woven the figure of a dove. The filling is of gold tinsel and the effect of the pattern is charming. The pattern has been destroyed, so as to give to the president's wife an exclusive costume. Once before Paterson had the honor of weaving the silk for the dress of a president's wife. This was in 1896 at the first inauguration of President McKinley.

BOILERS EXPLODE KILLING THREE MEN

Four Others Fatally Hurt and Fourteen Injured.

Cleoro J. Hamden, Noted Breeder of Fine Horses, Dies in New York —Congressman Dead.

WHEAT MARKET WAS QUIET

St. Clairesville, O., Feb. 20.—The boilers at the Providence Coal Mine exploded this morning, killing three men, fatally injuring four and seriously injuring fourteen.

Prominent Horseman Dead.

Buffalo, Feb. 20.—Cleoro J. Hamden one of Buffalo's wealthiest citizens and a horseman of reputation, breeder of the "Abbott," "Lord Derby," and hundreds of famous trotters and pacers, died this morning, aged 86.

Congressman Dies.

Yonkers, N. Y., Feb. 20.—Congressman Norton, representing this district, died early this morning after a several months' illness. His father was inventor of the elevator.

Gates Selling Today.

Chicago, Feb. 20.—Gates' brokers were on the selling side in the wheat pit this morning. May sold from 119 1-4 to 118 1-2 without any special feature, the market being quiet throughout.

L.L.D. TO ROOSEVELT.

University of Pennsylvania Will Confer the Degrees on Washington's Birthday.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 20.—On Washington's birthday the University of Pennsylvania will confer the degree of L.L.D. upon the emperor of Germany and the president of the United States.

The president will be here in person, and will be the principal speaker at the exercises in memory of Washington. It is a noteworthy historical coincidence that the same degree which President Roosevelt will receive upon Washington's birthday was conferred by the university upon Washington Independence day, 1783—the year in which the revolutionary war ended.

This historical coincidence having been brought to the attention of the German emperor his majesty cabled through Ambassador Tower his acceptance of the degree of doctor of laws. Emperor William will be represented by his ambassador, Baron von Sternburg, who has received official instructions from Berlin.

HONOR GERMAN EMPEROR.

Will Be First Reigning Monarch to to Receive American University Degree.

Berlin, Feb. 18.—Emperor William will accept the degree of doctor of laws from the University of Pennsylvania. It will be conferred upon him in absentia, Feb. 22, at the same time that it is bestowed upon President Roosevelt.

Instructions have been cabled to Baron Von Speck-Sternburg, the German ambassador to represent the emperor.

This is the first instance, so far as known in which a reigning sovereign has taken an American university degree.

Man wants but little here below zero.

TODAY'S MARKETS

	Open.	Close.
Wheat—		
May	1.19 1/2	1.18 1/2
July	1.01 1/2	1.01 1/2
Corn—		
May	46 1/2	46 1/2
Oats—		
May	30 3/4	30 3/4
Pork—		
May	12.80	12.77
Cotton—		
Mar.	7.75	7.51
May	7.67	7.49
July	7.67	7.52
Aug.	7.65	7.55
Stocks—		
I. C.	1.57 1/2	1.58
L. & N.	1.37 1/2	1.37 1/2



OUR FULL DISPLAY

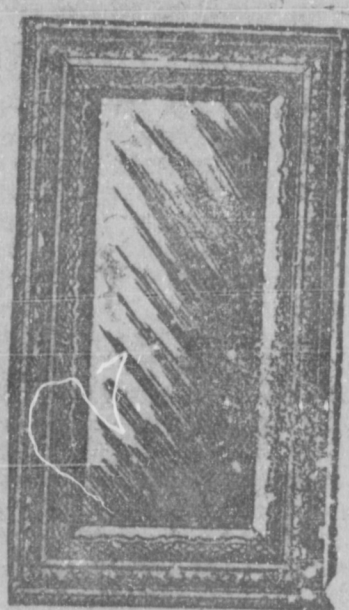
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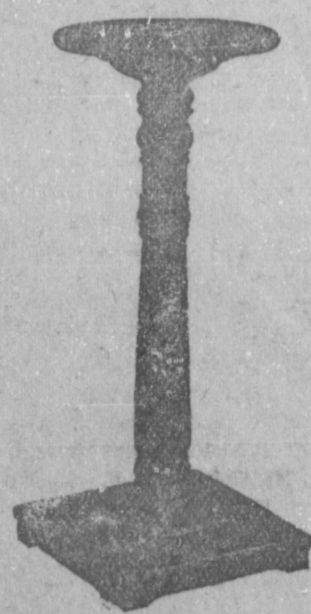


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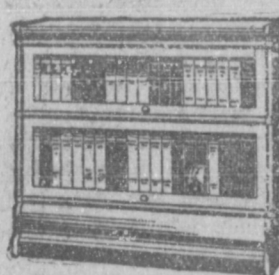


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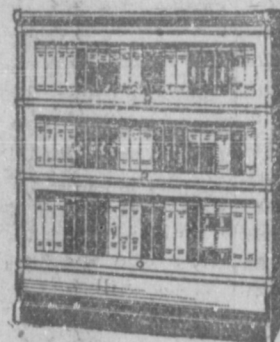
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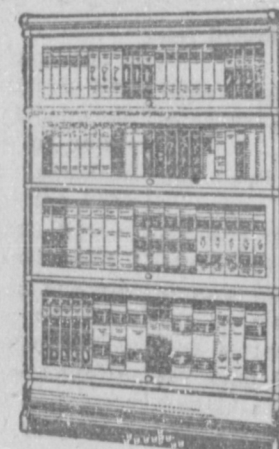
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Base... 1.75

PRICE COMPLETE \$9.25



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PRICE COMPLETE \$12.00



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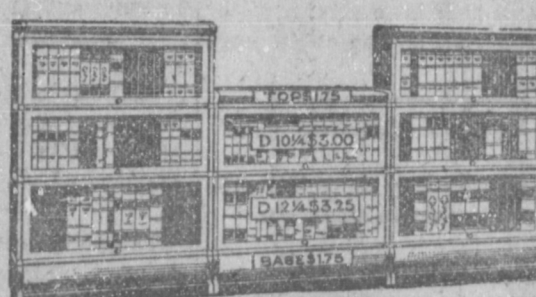
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Desk... 14.00
D-12 1/2... 3.25
Base... 1.75

\$15.25 Left Tier. PRICE COMPLETE \$38.75 Right Tier \$23.50

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3.00 D-10 1/2...
3.25 D-12 1/2...
1.75 Base...



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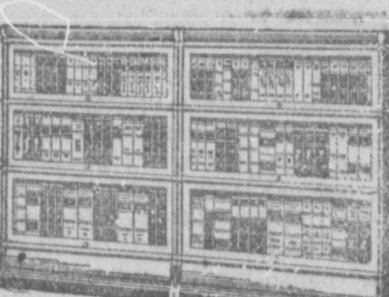
\$12.50 Left Tier.

Middle Tier \$9.75

Right Tier \$12.50

PRICE COMPLETE \$34.75

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3.00 D-10 1/2...
3.25 D-12 1/2...
1.75 Base...



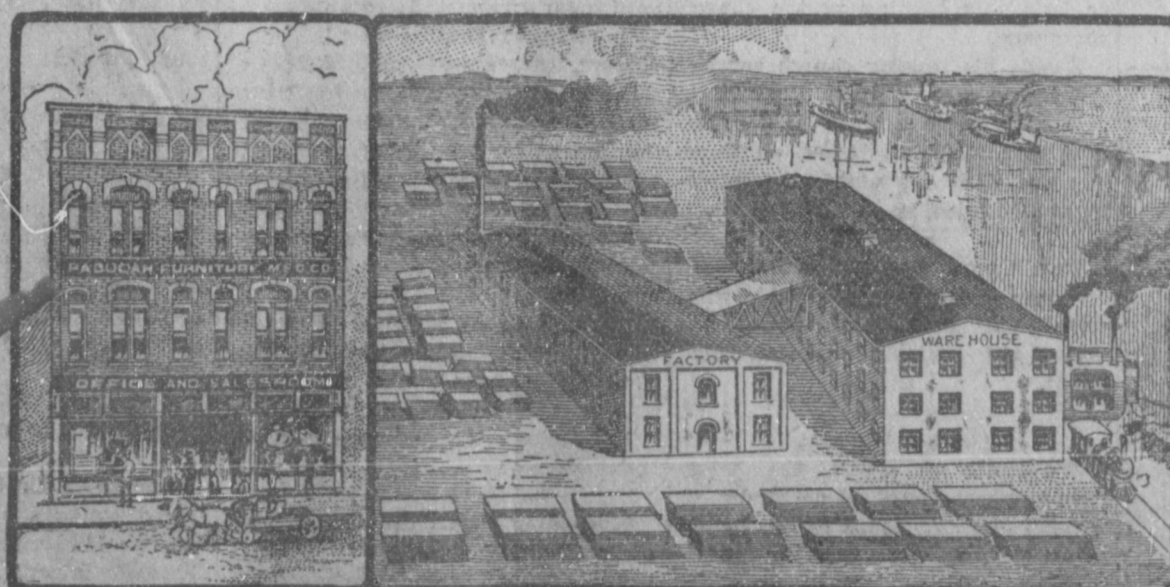
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D-12 1/2... 3.25
Base... 1.75

\$12.50 Left Tier.

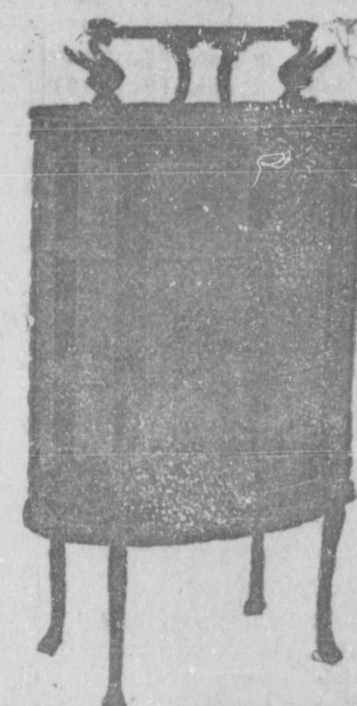
Right Tier \$12.50

PRICE COMPLETE \$25.00

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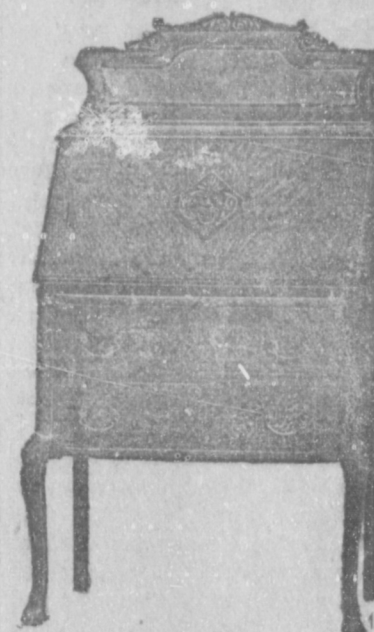


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Jan. 3 ..2,986	Jan. 18..3,044
Jan. 4 ..2,989	Jan. 19..3,046
Jan. 5 ..2,994	Jan. 20..3,046
Jan. 6 ..3,007	Jan. 21..4,827
Jan. 7 ..4,139	Jan. 22..3,049
Jan. 8 ..3,013	Jan. 23..4,588
Jan. 9 ..3,014	Jan. 24..3,053
Jan. 10..3,025	Jan. 25..3,053
Jan. 11..3,028	Jan. 26..3,055
Jan. 12..3,035	Jan. 27..4,797
Jan. 13..4,660	Jan. 28..3,058
Jan. 14..3,033	Jan. 29..3,067
Jan. 15..3,033	Jan. 30..3,067
Jan. 16..3,033	Jan. 31..3,067

Average for the month.....3,332

Personally appeared before me this day E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of January, 1905, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,

Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 22, 1908.

Daily Thought.

"Lend a hand to the tempted."

The Weather.

Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday. Stationary temperature.

OUR ASSESSMENTS.

The county will have to pay nearly \$1,000 for supervising an assessment that even some of the supervisors admit is not a good assessment. There is no telling how much the city will have to pay, as the supervisors are still pegging away, although in many cities, if not most of them in Kentucky, the tax rate has been fixed. In many counties having a bigger valuation and assessment than McCracken, the assessment has been made, the supervisors have finished long ago, and the recapitulation has been completed and the result announced. But in McCracken county the recapitulation has not begun and usually after it is started requires several weeks. Why this is no one seems able to explain, but it is too bad that so much time and money should be required to do a thing that has already been done in several counties larger than McCracken.

Another thing about it is that although some people have given in their assessments at less than fifty per cent of their true value, those supervisors who are annually appointed to equalize assessments and are paid for their work, do not seem able to find it out. They don't have to take a man's word as to the value of his taxable property, and do not have to take the assessor's figures. They are paid to see that every man is assessed fairly if the assessor has not assessed it correctly, and the people, especially the taxpayers, should demand that it be done. The day is bound to come when the voters will regard the office of assessor as the most important in city and county, and will also insist on men being named as supervisors who will see that every person is properly assessed and made to pay his or her share of the taxes. The supervisors are virtually the men who fix the amount of taxes that ten or fifteen thousand men and women in the county have to pay every year, and they should see that every man gets "a square deal, no more and no less."

Fulton is ready to supply representatives from Kentucky to the inaugural parade but the dispatch from Washington stating that there would be no Kentucky representatives was probably an error, as there are to be a number of school boys, if no one else. The Fulton Commercial says:

"A dispatch from Washington given out by Gen. James H. Wilson, chairman of the committee on inaug-

ural arrangements, says that Kentucky will not be represented in the inaugural parade. If the gentlemen who have been appointed by Governor Beckham to represent Kentucky on that occasion, are to stick up to march with the other patriots, let them resign the honor and we will send a delegation of "footpads" from Fulton."

Yesterday's Courier-Journal contained a fine picture of Hon. Henry Burnett, vice president of the State Bar Association. Mr. Burnett was a former resident of Paducah of whom Paducah will always be proud, and ranks high among the prominent attorneys of the state.

Tonight the first round in the battle for more public improvements will be fought in the council over the Third street reconstruction ordinance. There will be more than the usual objection to this proposed improvement because the Board of Works has always contended that it was not advisable to pave Third street so far up at this time. It is likely the council will hear both sides of the question, however, and it is hoped the case will be decided on its merits.

Lexington, Ky., is complaining that its criminal cases take up so much time in circuit court that there is none left for the civil cases, and an effort is to be made to have two courts and two judges, one to hear criminal cases exclusively and the other civil cases. If they had a Judge like Judge Reed, only one would be necessary. Judge Reed always keeps up with his docket, and we have about as many cases as Lexington.

Notice of the Sale of Uncollected Accounts.

In the District Court of the United States, for the Western District of Kentucky.

In the matter of Leigh Fruit and Storage Co., Bankrupt.

In pursuance of an order directed to me on the matter of the bankruptcy of Leigh Fruit and Storage Co., in the district court of the United States for the Western District of Kentucky, I shall offer for sale at public auction to the highest and best bidder on Wednesday, March 1, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m. at the courthouse door, in the city of Paducah, Ky., all the uncollected accounts of said Leigh Fruit and Storage Co., with certain exceptions that will be stated at the sale, remaining in my hands as trustee of said estate.

Terms of sale, cash on day of sale, subject to confirmation by the court. The right is reserved in the court to reject any or all bids.

A list of such uncollected accounts can be seen at my office, 125 S. 4th street, Paducah, Ky., on application to the undersigned.

ARTHUR Y. MARTIN, Trustee.
February 17, 1905.

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PASTORS CALLED BY CHURCHES HERE

Rev. J. S. Cheek, of Russellville, Called by First Baptist.

Rev. B. W. Bass Was Called By the Congregation at the Tenth St. Christian Church.

NOTES OF OTHER CHURCHES

The congregation of the First Baptist church yesterday morning considered a report from the deacons, recommending that Rev. John S. Cheek, of Russellville, Ky., be called to the pastorate here to succeed Rev. G. W. Perryman, who last week went to Knoxville, Tenn., to become pastor of a Baptist church there.

The congregation unanimously concurred in the recommendation, and a formal call was forwarded at once to Rev. Cheek. He is expected about Wednesday to look over the situation, and a reply from him is expected in the near future.

The congregation of the Tenth St. Christian church yesterday morning held a business meeting and extended a call to Rev. B. W. Bass, of Louisville, Ky., to become pastor of the church. Rev. Bass was here little over a week ago and preached twice. He is an able and popular minister, and an answer from him is expected the latter part of the week.

The congregation of the Cumberland Presbyterian church here met yesterday to consider the calling of a pastor to succeed Rev. George O. Bachman, resigned, but it was decided not to call one at present, but to wait until spring.

The officers have a number of letters and applications from ministers in various places who desire to come to Paducah, and a number of applications are under advisement, but at present no preference has been shown for any of them, and it is not known who will probably be called.

Nothing has yet been heard by the congregation of Temple Israel relative to the rabbis who have been invited here to preach. It is thought possible that one will be here in time for Friday's services, but is not known for certain.

Rev. T. J. Newell of the Broadway Methodist church, preached an especial sermon yesterday morning at the request of the Woman's Missionary societies of his church. It was a little out of the usual order of missionary sermons, and he handled the subject very ably under the general theme "God's Use of the inventions of Man."

Rev. David C. Wright, rector of Grace Episcopal church, organized a confirmation class yesterday morning at the Sunday school hour. As soon as the class is prepared Bishop Woodcock will come to Paducah to administer the rites, it will probably not be until after Easter, however. It has been sometime since confirmation has been administered here, and the class will be quite a large one.

In the absence of the pastor, Rev. W. W. Armstrong, the pulpit of the Trimble street Methodist church was filled yesterday morning by Rev. Cap Owen, of the City Missions, and at night by Rev. T. J. Newell of the Broadway Methodist church.

The quarterly business meeting of the German Evangelical church will be held this evening at the church parsonage.

Beside his regular church service the pastor, Rev. William Bourquin, is preaching twice a week at the Hebron and Mizpah Mission, on Tuesday and Thursday nights respectively, and is doing an excellent work.

Rev. Casper Cummings, the blind preacher of Metropolis, and his wife, arrived this morning and will hold a revival at the mission on South Third street.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank the many friends who assisted us so kindly in the sickness and death of our beloved husband and son, Charles Collins, from his wife and mother.

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THE SIMPLE LIFE.

A Two-Handed Musician.

(From the "Tribune," Ia., Leader.)
Miss Clara Schwem, daughter of Charles Schwem, northwest of town, is acquiring a skill in the art of playing musical instruments known to but few people. She has had an organ for several years, and since mastering that her father has bought her a piano, and now she has moved the two instruments together and plays them both at once. This seems like an impossibility, but it is a fact. She plays the organ with one hand and the piano with the other, and makes a grade of music that is very pleasing to the ear.

Ye Editor Needs Socks.

(From the Preston, Ia., Times.)
A sirup manufactory offers to send us a dozen gallons or so of sirup if we will run an electrotpe advertising said sweetness. Confound the lock, anyway! We are overstocked with sirup right now. Make it muslin, or crepe de chine, or socks, or anything useful like that, and we are ready to talk business.

Sickness Works Wonders.

(From the Castle Rock, Col., Leader)
Louis Schleicher got up Saturday for a little while, though still very weak. He was astonished to find that he had fallen off so much that he could stand both upright and by simply looking down see his own feet, a feat he has been unable to accomplish in years.

Come Again, Henry.

(From Jamestown, N. D., Messenger)
Henry Lakewell called at the sanatorium while in our burg, and we had a long visit with him. He left us some fine pullets, which were heartily enjoyed by ye editor. Henry is certainly the salts of the earth.

His Perquisites.

(From the Independence, Ore., Enterprise.)
A reasonable amount of fleas is good for a dog. It reminds him that he is a dog. The annual receipt of garden seed is supposed to be good for the country editor. It rubs it in on him that he is a country editor.

Love Is Blind.

(From the Savannah, Ga., Courier.)
We heard a young lady say the other day she intended to put a blind bridle on Charlie Long and lead him up to the altar.

In a Dangerous Place.

(Elma Correspondence Aberdeen, S. C. Herald.)

Miss Abbie Kellogg, of the Aberdeen schools, was in town between trains Sunday.

Up to Dora.

(From the Dickson, Tenn., Verdict.)
Walter Watson was seen in town Sunday evening. What does this mean Miss Dora?

Keeping Up Readers' Hope.

(From the Waterloo, Ind., Dawn.)
The Dawn will have something of interest to spring on the public next week.

FAMILY CARES.

This Information May Be of Value to Many a Mother in Paducah.

When there is added to the many cares inseparable from the rearing of children that affliction of weakness of the kidneys and auxiliary organs, the mother's lot is far from a happy one. This condition can be quickly changed and absolutely cured by the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. When this is known, the mother's burden will be lighter and her home happier.

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THE SCHOOL CENSUS MUST BE CORRECT

This Edict Has Gone Forth From Frankfort, Ky.

Claimed the State Has Been Systematically Skinned—Local School News.

NEW CENSUS IS TO BE TAKEN.

There will likely be "something doing" in school circles this year. The state administration is on its ear, to use a little slang, over the alleged useless and fraudulent drain on the school fund, which yearly makes it more and more inadequate. The city schools of Paducah will begin their census April 1. The enumerators, usually from three to six in number, are to be elected by the board at its next regular meeting, two weeks from tomorrow, and there are a number of applicants already on deck for the places.

As to the school census, however, a Frankfort dispatch gives information:

"Inaccuracy in the reports of the common school census for the past year or two has determined Gov. Beckham to take some step to protect the treasury and the common school fund from drains upon it from this source, which either from carelessness or design, have grown in enormous proportions from year to year, and are causing the school fund to lap over into other funds of the state annually to keep up the system of schools. Within the last year or two he has been in conference with State Superintendent Fuqua regarding this matter, the time for the taking of the new census being near, and he has about concluded that the only way to prevent such inaccuracies is to go, in vigorous fashion, after any who are found guilty of "padding" returns. To this end the state inspector and examiner will be sent into counties where this is suspected, or where there may be cause to suspect it after the taking of the next census, and upon his report prosecutions will be based. Already, recently, one county superintendent has been slated for removal from office for such work, and another will very shortly be proceeded against. The state superintendent has prepared a letter to county superintendents and trustees, a copy of which will be sent to each superintendent and trustee in the state, calling their attention to these inaccuracies of the past, and also urging upon them the necessity for abolishing the smaller school districts and adding the pupils thereof to the contiguous districts. He announces that hereafter he does not intend to recognize a district containing less than twenty-five pupils."

McCracken county is credited by the state with 25,733 population, 5,672 white and 2,367 colored school children, a total of 10,039.

The public schools started out this morning with a better attendance and Supt. Leib entered at least a dozen pupils.

At the close of the first term the weather was so disagreeable that many pupils who would have entered on the 30th did not, but waited until better weather, and are now beginning to come in.

Prof. C. E. Green, who has been employed to take the place of Assistant Principal Mrs. Minnie Herndon, who resigned, has not shown up yet and if he does not by Wednesday Supt. Leib will secure some one else for the place. He telegraphed he was en route but has had more than time in which to arrive.

The seventh and eighth grades at the High school building are being taught in six rooms, and until Prof. Green comes, the six rooms will be crowded into five, making it possible to teach with one instructor less.

Mrs. Wilhoite had been teaching, but was dismissed this morning, the authorities thinking Prof. Green would be here. Supt. Leib says he will wait until Wednesday for Prof. Green to put in appearance.

Trustee Arch Sutherland, of the school committee appointed to sell the school property at Fifth and Kentucky avenue, stated this morning.

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"EXCELLENT" RATING IS GIVEN THE PADUCAH POSTOFFICE BY INSPECTOR

Inspector Hennen, of West Virginia, has been in the city the past few days inspecting the Paducah post office and left Sunday after completing his labors. Mr. Hennen gives the office a good sendoff in his report. In conversation with a Sun reporter he said the Paducah office received the "excellent" rating, the very best possible rating a postoffice can receive—that he has only given that rating to one other office the past year, and that it is something the local force, from postmaster on down, should be proud.

That the Paducah postoffice is a good investment for "Uncle Sam," when compared with other offices in cities the size of Paducah is evidenced by the following report of the auditor of postoffices for the past year. The figures given are the percentage of expense to receipts of each office and it will be noticed that the office expenses of the Paducah office are much less than any other and first in amount of net receipts.

Name of City.	Per Cent Expense To Receipts
Fort Smith, Ark.....	.50
Pasadena, Cal.....	.52
San Diego, Cal.....	.55
Danbury, Conn.....	.45
Tampa, Fla.....	.48
Columbus, Ga.....	.45
Danville, Ill.....	.54
Galesburg, Ill.....	.56
Marion, Ind.....	.53
Atchison, Kas.....	.48
Waltham, Mass.....	.57
Muskogee, Mich.....	.51
Joplin, Mo.....	.53
Plainfield, N. J.....	.54
Asheville, N. C.....	.55
Greensboro, N. C.....	.49
McKeesport, Pa.....	.60
Newcastle, Pa.....	.55
Norristown, Pa.....	.53
Paducah, Ky.....	.39

Gets Promotion.

Mr. Oscar Reber, of the I. C. machine shops, has been promoted to the position of round house foreman to succeed Will Turbett, resigned.

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Mardi Gras at New Orleans March 7. Galveston is a Mexican Gulf Coast resort having the new, fine "Great Southern" Hotel. Steamships leave New Orleans every Saturday afternoon for Havana; every Wednesday morning for Colon, Panama. Regular ocean steamship sailings from New Orleans for Mexico, Central America, Panama, West Indies and Europe. Send or call for descriptive matter in regard to the above.

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Special Tours of Mexico and California via the Illinois Central and New Orleans under the auspices of Raymond & Whitcomb, will leave Chicago Friday, Jan. 20 and Feb. 10, for Mexico and California, and Friday, March 3, for California; this last to include a stop-over at New Orleans for the Mardi Gras. Entire trips made in special private vestibule trains of finest Pullmans, with dining car service. Fascinating trips, complete in every detail.

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FULL PARTICULARS concerning all of the above can be had of agents of the Illinois Central, or by addressing the nearest of the undersigned representatives of the "Central."

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Miss Anne Bradshaw. Mr. Will Green.
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Miss Herndon. Mr. Robert Scott.
Miss Newell. Mr. T. Cooney.
Judge Lightfoot. Deal's Band.

Admission, Adults 50c, children 25c

LOCAL LIVES.

—For Dr. Pendley ring 416.
—Sign and carriage painting. G. R. Sexton, both phones, 401.
—Messenger Lindsay, of the Southern Express company, has resumed his run after a ten days' illness.
—For the cleanest and best coal in the city phone 339, Bradley Brothers.
—Mr. W. F. Shelton, the cigar dealer, has left on a several weeks' trip to southern cities.
—Go to C. L. Brunson's for Lawn Grass seed.
—Judge James Campbell has returned from Frankfort, where he appeared before the court of appeals.
—A complete line of blank books, typewriting and carbon paper. Everything needed in the office and the very best, at R. D. Clements & Co.
—Kenny Murray and Bob Wathen expect to open a Stag hotel on North Fourth street in their present building and that adjoining, in the near future. They are to have the old Standard building, four stories high, remodeled and fitted up into a hotel.
—Call Palmer Transfer Co. for carriages, baggage wagons and first-class livery rig. Hack fares and trucks strictly cash. Best service in the city.
—Imperial Lawn Grass Seed at C. L. Brunson & Co., 423 Broadway.
—Engine foreman of the round house, Wm. Turbutt, has resigned to go to Princeton and accept a position as machine foreman of the Clover Leaf.
—For the cleanest and best coal in the city phone 339, Bradley Brothers.
—Work on the storm water sewerage at First and Kentucky streets cannot be started at present. Contractors Robertson and Gardner expected to begin today.
—Miss Gussie Smith, stenographer and notary public, 118 South Fourth street.
—"Bridget," the goat mascot of No. 4 fire department, 10th and Jones streets, died and was given an appropriate funeral yesterday. The goat was well known and was previous to being transferred to No. 4 station, at the No. 2 station.
—Do you know who is the most popular lady in Paducah? The Sun does not, and will give a piano to the lady who it is decided is entitled to

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Social Notes and, About People.

Card Party This Afternoon.
Mrs. W. A. Berry, of North Seventh street, is entertaining at cards this afternoon complimentary to Miss Waller of Morganfield, the guest of Mrs. Henry Hughes.

Mr. Ferd Weatherington and Miss Sadie Scott were married Saturday at the Methodist parsonage by Rev. T. J. Newell. They are popular young people, and will reside on Harrison street.

Mr. Lewis L. Bebout and bride have returned from their bridal trip and are at their home on West Monroe street.

Mr. H. V. Sherrill has gone to Hot Springs, Ark.

Mrs. Sallie Gardner leaves for Lehigh, I. T., this week to visit her son, Dr. David Gardner.

Mrs. W. H. Kirby was Saturday called to Memphis by the death of her mother, Mrs. A. D. Hill.

Miss Effie Hildreth has gone to Centerville, Ill., to attend the wedding of Miss Eva Clark to Mr. John Jones.

Mr. August McNeill, of Cincinnati, is visiting his brother, Mr. E. F. McNeill.

Mr. U. H. Clark, chief clerk to Master Mechanic Turnbull, has returned from Louisville.

Dr. H. P. Sights has returned from Morgan county where he had been on business connected with his mining interests.

Mrs. Will Hopkins, of Paducah, arrived in the city at noon yesterday to visit Mrs. W. H. Bowman at her home on South Frederick street. Mrs. Hopkins will be here for several weeks.—Owensboro Inquirer.

Mr. Will Scott went to Kuttawa this morning on business.

Capt. John Webb went to Cincinnati this morning on business.

Mr. Wm. Eades went to Greenville this morning.

Mr. C. A. Thurman went to Cairo this morning on business.

Miss Annie Bridges, of Folsomdale, is visiting Mrs. T. B. Bridges, this city.

Mr. Sam L. Hyman, of Nashville, the shirt man, is at Hotel Lagomarsino.

Col. Bud Dale and wife are at Maxon's Mills today visiting relatives.

Mr. Oscar Penley president of the National Bank, of Kentucky, was in the city today and returned to Louisville at noon.

Misses Beulah and Alice Gertrude Herring, of Herring-Herst, Ky., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Crafton, of West Tennessee street.

Capt. Thomas J. Herndon left at noon for Clarksville to attend the bedside of his daughter, Mrs. C. B. Lyle, who is in a precarious condition and not expected to live. She is suffering from stomach trouble.

Colonel J. L. Kilgore went to Louisville today at noon.

Attorney Sam Crossland, of Mayfield, is in the city.

Mr. Sam Walker has returned from Du Vall, Ark., where he went to attend the funeral of his father-in-law, Mr. R. M. Randle, who was buried Wednesday.

Mr. D. D. Hodges, of Paragould, Ark., is visiting his brother-in-law, Mr. Dick Settle.

Circuit Court.

Judge J. E. Robbins, of Mayfield, special judge, has postponed his decision in the demurrer in the case of Gip Husbands, receiver, against R. G. Caldwell, assignee, and others until Friday. He intended coming today but sent a message here postponing his trip.

Annie L. Murphy was given a divorce from Frank Murphy.

The plaintiff's action in the appealed case of L. E. Girardey against F. B. Wahl was dismissed.

Police Court.

Police Judge D. L. Sanders did a little more business this morning in his court than he has been in the habit of doing for the past several weeks. Business picked up a little since Saturday and he had a few cases to dispose of.

Ed Farris and Ed Martin, white, breach of the peace, \$5 and costs; Ernest Marshall, colored, breach of the peace, dismissed; Lum Barnes, colored, cursing on the streets, \$20 and costs; Ben Satterfield and Walter Wiley, colored, \$5 and costs, fighting; Frank Hoverton, white, drunk, \$1 and costs; Tom Bates, colored, assaulting Manager Baker, of Noah's Ark, continued until Mr. Baker returns from New York; Jim White, colored, gaming, \$20 and costs.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends, especially the employees of the East Tennessee Co., for the many kindnesses shown us in our bereavement. MR. AND MRS. C. T. LEFFINGWELL.

WITH BIBLICAL DEAD.

An Aged Photographer Says Messages Appear on Sensitive Plate.

New York, Feb. 17.—Alfred A. Hart, 70 years old, and for thirty years the official photographer of Columbia college, asserts that he has discovered the secret of the divine transmission to earth of the ten commandments, and that he has been able to communicate with the dead. He made remarkable statements about his experiments and discoveries.

Although students of psychic research discredit the claims of Mr. Hart, he is persistent in his assertion that he has discovered the means of universal communication, and says that ultimately the world will know what becomes of the soul. He declares he has had communication with the distinguished Biblical dead, including Moses, Solomon, the prophets and the disciples, and has written down their messages which he says were transmitted to him.

Mr. Hart says his is not an invention, but rediscovery of the mechanism of the rock upon which the ten commandments appeared to Moses, and the old Egyptian magic mirror, known as the urim and thummim used by the priests in the temples of India, Egypt and the Holy Land. The messages from the unknown were transmitted to him, he says, in letters of fire written upon the magic mirror, and that they have been intelligible, not only to him, but to his wife and daughter. Mr. Hart said in his interview:

"For twenty-five years I prayed to comprehend the life of man. Then of a sudden—it was in 1879—I was awakened by three distinct raps. There was a bright light in the room. I read in letters of fire on the wall, 'Seek and ye shall find; knock and the door shall be opened.'"

"The light disappeared and there came another above, which was written 'the law of heaven,' and under it 'the law of earth.' Again there was a change, and I read, 'If you choose the law of earth you will be popular and wealthy; if you choose the law of heaven you will gain spiritual knowledge, but all your friends will turn against you.'"

"Believing there was some sensitive plate, the same as nature had supplied to the ancients, that would register thought through electrical vibration, I set to work. Within a year I had discovered the secret in the shape of a sensitive black-backed mirror. I held it in my two palms; appealed for a communication from heaven, and as I was being weighted down seemingly by a tremendous electric vibration, there appeared in the mirror before me this message: 'You ask for knowledge; it shall be given you.'"

"This message was from the Apostle Mark. I have since received hundreds of messages, all of which I have preserved in writing."

Officer Aaron Hurley is on the sick list.

License Inspector Ed Clark is improving, his many friends will be glad to learn, and was able to sit up yesterday.

Notice

On and after February 27, 1905, our terms are to be STRICTLY CASH on delivery. Please do not ask for credit, as we cannot deviate from the above. No exceptions. We have arranged for the convenience of our customers Coupon Books in denominations of \$1, \$3, \$5 and \$10, payable on delivery, less 5 per cent. discount. Books can be obtained of office. Telephones 129.

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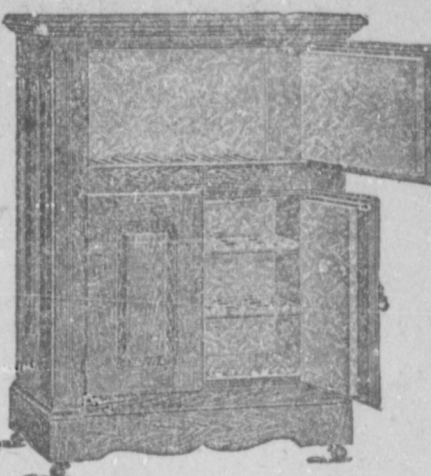
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South Bound	101	101	
Lv. Cincinnati	6:00pm	8:20am	
Lv. Louisville	7:25am	9:40pm	12:01pm
Lv. Evansville	9:00am	11:15pm	
Lv. Nashville	1:25pm	1:40am	4:08pm
Lv. Knoxville	3:40am	4:40pm	
Lv. Memphis	5:55pm	6:55pm	
Lv. St. Louis	8:10pm	9:10pm	
Ar. Paducah	4:15pm	4:40am	6:10pm
Lv. Paducah	4:30pm	5:40am	6:15pm
Ar. Fulton	6:00pm	6:50am	7:30pm
Ar. Memphis	8:20pm	8:30am	10:45pm
Ar. N. Orleans	8:30pm	8:15pm	11:30am
North Bound	101	101	
Lv. N. Orleans	7:00pm	9:15am	
Lv. Memphis	6:00am	10:10am	12:35pm
Lv. St. Louis	8:15am	11:25pm	
Ar. Paducah	7:40am	11:20pm	1:48am
Lv. Paducah	7:50am	11:25pm	1:48am
Ar. Princeton	9:20am	12:30pm	3:02am
Ar. Hopkinsville	10:30am	1:40pm	
Ar. Evansville	11:40am	2:50pm	
Ar. Nashville	12:50pm	3:50pm	
Ar. Knoxville	1:40pm	4:40pm	
Ar. Memphis	3:55pm	4:55pm	8:15am
Ar. Louisville	5:10pm	6:10pm	7:30am
Ar. Cincinnati	6:15pm	7:15pm	11:55am
CAIRO-HOPKINSVILLE LINE.			
North Bound	101-305	101-40	
Lv. Hopkinsville	6:40am	11:20am	
Lv. Princeton	7:45am	8:30pm	
Ar. Paducah	9:25am	5:15pm	
Lv. Paducah	9:30am	7:00pm	
Ar. Cairo	11:25am	8:35pm	
Ar. St. Louis	5:15pm	7:05am	
Ar. Chicago	9:54pm	9:54pm	
South Bound	101-305	101-40	
Lv. Chicago	10:00am	6:30pm	
Lv. St. Louis	12:20pm	9:40pm	
Lv. Cairo	6:40pm	6:00am	
Ar. Paducah	8:15pm	7:45am	
Lv. Paducah	8:40pm	7:30am	
Ar. Princeton	10:15pm	9:25am	
Ar. Hopkinsville	11:15pm	10:15am	
ST. LOUIS DIVISION.			
North Bound	101-305	101-40	
Lv. Paducah	12:40pm	4:30pm	
Ar. Chicago	4:00pm	8:00pm	
Ar. St. Louis	7:40pm	7:08am	
South Bound	101-305	101-40	
Lv. St. Louis	7:15am	9:40pm	
Ar. Chicago	2:50pm	8:30pm	
Ar. Paducah	3:55pm	11:00am	

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Woodruff, the Cash Register Inspector "Convicted."

Another Alleged Swindler Drops Into Cairo But Escaped With the Goods.

OTHER POLICE NEWS ITEMS

William A. Woodruff, the young man who blew into Cairo several weeks ago and stole various amounts of money from a number of cash registers, by calling at the establishments of their owners and claiming he was an inspector sent by the company to see that all the registers were working well, was Saturday at Cairo convicted of obtaining money by false pretenses, and will have to serve a term at Chester.

The Cairo News says: "Woodruff is a bright, intelligent fellow, well posted on current topics, a good conversationalist and a seemingly altogether good fellow. He speaks several different languages and claims to have been educated in Leipzig, Germany. Woodruff has been seen much of the world. He claims to have come from a good family and says that he has a family living in the east but refuses to state where they are, but adds that he knows that they are being well provided for. For a number of years Woodruff was in the United States army and saw active service in the Philippines. When his effects at police headquarters were gone through a few days ago, copies of an official bulletin, issued by the war department were found in a bill book. The bulletin is an official account of a lively scrimmage in which Woodruff and other men of the detachment took part."

The Cairo News tells the following story of an alleged swindler who worked a number of people there, and is alleged to have done the same thing to a number of people in Paducah:

"A smooth stranger, wearing the name of L. Martin, fleeced a number of Cairoites out of small sums of money last December, and they are just waking up to the fact.

"The man claimed to be an agent of the International Publication Society, with office at 72 Fifth avenue, New York City. He offered Roosevelt's works as a premium with the Literary Digest on payment of \$3.50. Of course he only solicited among the very intellectual class of citizens and some prominent lawyers were taken in. He seemed not at all anxious that the money be paid to him, and so threw them off their guard.

"Letters of inquiry addressed to 72 Fifth avenue, were returned unopened, and inquiry of Funk & Wagnells brought the intelligence that the same party presumably had been working Dallas, Tex., East St. Louis and other places under the names of H. Barton and H. Bennett, and that he is a fraud."

Milton Hays, who was arrested at Louisville recently after returning from Paducah, is in more trouble. The Herald says:

"The Hays family has been broken up for some time, and on December 22 Mrs. Hays complained to the police that her husband had met her that day on the street and threatened her unless she returned to live with him. On that same night the residence of Mrs. Hays' mother, Mrs. Sarah Burcham, 624 Myrtle street, caught fire and the origin was attributed to incendiaryism. The coincidence laid suspicion on Hays, but no charge of the kind could be substantiated.

"He was arrested on the complaint of his wife and gave bond, but went to Paducah and the bond was forfeited. On January 31 he was arrested and a fine of \$10 was imposed on him in the police court, and the prisoner was put under \$500 bond for one year. Both the fine and bond were suspended on condition that Hays leave the city, and it was understood that he had gone to Chicago.

"Yesterday morning Judge Asher G. Caruth appeared in the police court and announced that Hays had not left the city, but was shadowing his wife, and that unless he was immediately arrested her life was in danger. On this showing Judge

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McCann issued instant orders for the man's apprehension and the reinstatement of the fine."

The police have released Laura Watson, a Livingston county girl who had been under surveillance supposed to know something about the whereabouts of the Moore brothers, wanted in the Salem vicinity of Livingston county for arson. Clem Davenport's home burned and is supposed to have been set fire to and the Watson girl was first arrested, but acquitted. She claims the Moore boys set fire to the house, and they have disappeared. The girl came to Paducah and it was expected would meet the men here, but she did not. She was for a time at the Home for the Friendless.

SUPT. W. S. KING

Marries a Wisconsin Belle—Will Live At Memphis.

The wedding of Mr. William S. King, until recently superintendent of the Tennessee division of the Illinois Central, took place a few days ago. Mr. King is well known in Paducah, especially among railroad men. The Memphis Commercial-Appeal says:

The wedding of William S. King, assistant general superintendent of the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley railroad, and Mrs. Margaret Loretta Atkinson of Green Bay, Wis., which took place in St. Mary's church, in Chicago, Ill., at 9 o'clock on the morning of the 15th instant, was a most elaborate affair.

A party of prominent Illinois Central railway officials went up from Memphis in the private car of H. McCourt, assistant general superintendent of the Illinois Central. Among the gentlemen present at the wedding were the following:

W. J. Harahan, general manager; I. G. Rawn, assistant general manager; P. F. Bowes, assistant traffic manager; W. L. Smith, assistant to the second vice president; C. C. Cameron, general freight agent; F. H. Harriman, superintendent of the Chicago division; H. McCourt, assistant general superintendent; J. A. Scott, assistant general passenger agent; J. H. Mallory, commercial agent; Eugene King, of Richmond, Va.; P. A. Ladden, roadmaster of the Chicago division; J. J. Casey and H. J. Phelps, city passenger agent of Chicago, Ill.

The ceremony was performed by Father O'Callaghan, of St. Mary's church, and was an exceedingly beautiful one. The attendants were John Dwyer of Memphis, and Miss Loretta Stack of Green Bay, Wis.

Following the breakfast adieu were said and Mr. King and his bride left for New York via the Michigan Central. They will be at home to their friends at the Hotel Gayoso after April 1.

Married in Fulton.

The Fulton Leader says: "Mr. H. Ments, of Arkansas, and Miss Louisa Lotz, of Memphis, Tenn., were married here last Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Smith, Rev. Hamp McLesky, of the C. P. church, officiating.

"The young couple have done their best to keep the affair secret, but 'murder will out.' Neither Mr. Smith, Rev. McLesky nor Esq. Fon Collins, who issued the license, would give the Leader man full particulars. Each of these gentlemen said they were sworn to secrecy.

"Miss Lotz was here visiting Mrs. Smith and seemed very anxious to keep the announcement out of the Memphis papers."

The Street Car Schedule.

The Paducah Street Railway company has decided on the following schedule for its cars: Cars run on all lines regularly until 10 o'clock. At 10, 10:30 and 11 o'clock cars leave Third and Broadway and 15 minutes later leave for end of lines. Broadway cars go only as far as Dossett's walk on late trips except theater nights, when the 11 o'clock car goes through.

The owl leaves Third and Broadway at 11:30 for West Broadway, 12 o'clock for Third street, 1 and 3 o'clock for Union depot. No late cars on North end of Rowlandtown and Jackson street.

Not Yet Financed.

Reports from Messrs. J. J. Read and J. J. Freundlich, who went to New York several weeks ago to finance the proposed electric railroad to Cairo, indicate that they have not succeeded in accomplishing anything. Their last letters, however, state that they have received encouragement and two firms are expected to give a decision this week.

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Something You Can See in Any Restaurant or Cafe.

A physician puts the query: Have you never noticed in any large restaurant at lunch or dinner the large number of hearty, vigorous old men at the tables; men whose ages run from 60 to 80 years; many of them bald and all perhaps gray, but none of them feeble or senile?

Perhaps the spectacle is so common as to have escaped your observation or comment, but nevertheless it is an object lesson which means something.

If you will notice what these hearty old fellows are eating you will observe that they are not munching bran crackers nor gingerly picking their way through a menu card of new fangled health foods; on the contrary they seem to prefer a juicy roast of beef, a properly turned loin of mutton, and even the deadly broiled lobster is not altogether ignored.

The point of all this is that a vigorous old age depends upon good digestion and plenty of wholesome foods; and not upon dieting and an endeavor to live upon bran crackers.

There is a certain class of food cranks who seem to believe that meat, coffee, and many other good things are rank poisons, but these cadaverous, sickly-looking individuals are a walking condemnation of their own theories.

The matter in a nutshell is that if the stomach secretes the natural digestive juices in sufficient quantities any wholesome food will be promptly digested; if the stomach does not do so, and certain foods cause distress, one or two of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal will remove all difficulties, because they supply just what every weak stomach lacks, pepsin, hydro-chloric acid, diastase and nux.

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APRIL 14

American League Will Play Its First Game.

New York, Feb. 20.—The representatives of the American League discussed the agreement and rules covering the proposed world's fair championship series between the winning teams of the two major leagues. No opposition to the changes suggested by President Pulliam, of the National League developed.

The change in ownership of the Washington club and the transfer of the franchise were approved.

The season will open April 14, with the following clubs playing: Boston at New York Philadelphia at Brooklyn, Pittsburgh at Cincinnati, Chicago at St. Louis.

Croup

Begins with the symptoms of a common cold; there is chilliness, sneezing, sore throat, hot skin quick pulse, hoarseness and impeded respiration. Give frequent small doses of Ballard's Horehound Syrup (the child will cry for it) and at the first sign of a croupy cough, apply frequently Ballard's Snow Liniment to the throat.

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LATE BASEBALL DOPE

Horn is recommended by Newt Fisher, of the Nashville Southern league team. He is a husky chap and it is thought he will hit well in the Kitty league. Murphy was championed by Tebeau and John Reccius, of Louisville. These two fine judges of ball players say he will make a strong man in the outfield and will be a tower of strength to the team with the stick.

Ike Hoeppel, with Hopkinsville last year, wants to sign with Henderson to play first base. He lives in Evansville and may be given a try out.

Plepho, with Hopkinsville last year, has signed with the Macon, Ga., club. He is a first baseman.

Nashville has entered into an agreement whereby all players signed to play there who do not make good will be farmed out to the Evansville club in the Central league.

Ned Crowder, the fast little short stop of last season, has returned his signed contract for 1935 to Secretary Zimbro, and announces that he will report early for the spring training. The receipt of the paper with Crowder's mark thereon caused a sigh of relief to escape from the loungers at the local headquarters Friday morning, for the deal had been accomplished after no little dickerings and at one time the chances of securing the youngster seemed exceedingly dark.

Two other contracts were received by Secretary Zimbro Friday afternoon. One from Newt Horn, a catcher who resides in Nashville, and the other from Jack Murphy, an outfielder from Louisville.—Henderson Gleaner.

A question that is now agitating Cairo fans is who will be manager of the K. I. T. team the coming season. Dan Williamson, manager of the opera house—some of those favorably mentioned.

There is a possibility that Skeet Hedges will be with Paducah or some other K. I. T. team this year. Milwaukee has sold him to Rock Island, Ill., but terms with the latter have not been arranged, and Hedges in case the deal falls through, may be given his release.

Ben Boyd's colored Paducah club will open the season on May 10 at Nashville, and after playing a series will come back to Paducah for a series with Nashville or some other southern city.

Hugh Jennings, manager of the Baltimore Eastern League team, and one of the most experienced ball players in the country, thus gives his views on the advisability of allowing a runner to steal second with another on third and less than two out:

"With a runner on third and another on first, when none or one is out and you are ahead on the score board, let the man steal second by all means.

"With the score largely against you and two out, never. I would ask nothing better than for a runner to steal down on our club under such conditions. I have given my men instructions in such cases to let the run in from third, but get the man going down sure.

"The additional run gained will not amount to much if the chance to secure more is thrown away. If we are in that fix one run won't do us any good, but the chance to get more is valuable."

"I am ready to put up any day Anson says the word," said Clark Griffith, answering the veteran's last deft, "and if the old man will just let me know the value of his billiard ball, I will bet him an equal amount he can not catch six of Chesbro's spit balls in a leather apron. I will amend my former offer by allowing him the use of a Morris chair and a diver's suit to prevent him being hurt. On top of this I will allow him six months in which to get in condition, and we will pull off the contest during the post-season contests in October. I will let him use a six-inch cricket bat to hit with.

"I will take off my hat to Anson and will say that he was the best batter I ever saw—in his day; but his day is past. He will have a lot of things to learn when he sees the 'spit ball.'"

"The old man is dead game, too. I remember one day while we were playing in Brooklyn, he bet me \$40 to \$10 that Brooklyn would take a majority of the games from us. Chicago won the first and it was my day to pitch next. We started in to play and Anson made three hits in succession and finally won the game by smashing a two-base hit to the ninth, knowing all the time that he was making himself lose the \$40."—Chicago News.

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See the particulars on page two of this issue of The Sun.

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"Perhaps you prefer that we should meet as enemies?"

"I prefer that we should not meet at all, and, knowing this, you may be good enough to make your visit as short as possible."

"I cannot find words to express my sorrow on learning I am so unwelcome. I am sure that when last we met I did my best to make your visit as long as I could, so why should you wish to shorten mine?"

It seemed to the girl that there was something unnecessarily shameless in his allusion to a circumstance that had so disgraced him. As she made no reply he went on with airy nonchalance:

"Will you excuse me if I look the door, and, showing that experience is a proficient schoolmaster, I ask the extension of your forgiveness to cover the act of putting the key in my pocket? We live and learn, you know. Not that I fear any interruption, for the innocent and excellent Scot is at this moment investigating our battlements and will not return this three hours or more."

The polite intruder locked the door and put the key in his pocket, then advanced toward her. She retreated to the other room, and for a moment he thought she was about to barricade herself within, but she reappeared on the instant with a jeweled dagger in her hand.

"I warn you, sir, that if I approach within striking distance I will pierce you to the heart."

The Frenchman smiled and waved his fine white hands with a gesture of inimitable grace.

"Fairest of the Westworths," he said, "may I sit down, and if I place this table between us will you feel safer?"

"You will be safer so long as it remains between us."

"I assure you my own safety weighs but lightly with me. I implore you to be seated for I cannot converse at ease with a lady who is standing."

"I prefer to stand. Your ingrained courtesy will then cause you to make our conference brief."

"It distresses me to say that you are prolonging the conference by standing. We have grave particulars of state policy to discuss, and I cannot begin while you are so cruel as to put me in the light."

"Oh, very well," cried Frances impatiently, taking her own chair, whereupon he, elegantly graceful, seated himself opposite her, with the table between them.

He waited for a few moments, but, she making no remark, he continued: "Grief for the loss of you filled my heart. You think I come here as an enemy, but I come as a suppliant. In the folly of that time at Whitehall I refused you marriage, and I do not wonder you were wroth at me. I wish to atone for what you justly considered an insult, and am willing to marry you in the face of the world."

"I thank you."

"I shall ask no questions anent this awkward Scot who has been your courier, for I am sure you can have thought nothing of him."

"I thank you."

"You return thanks coldly, but I know that is the English nature. The fire of France is not to be expected in this northern clime, but if you say yes to my pleading I am satisfied."

"If I wished for fire I would go down and not abroad for it. I had sooner wed the fiend from the pit than you."

De Courcy laughed lightly.

"That were a sulphurous mating indeed! Still you see how I adore you when I restate my determination to occupy the devil's place at your side before the altar. You but whet my expectation, for I should dearly love to tame you as your Shakespeare tamed his shrew."

"That you shall never do while a hand's breadth of steel will rid me of you, or myself of the world. Escape is too easy."

"Not from an Oxford dungeon, my dear. This medieval town furnishes us with dark pits in which there is no fire, and consequently they have a cooling effect on the hottest temperament. These are pits of which I am the fiend. My dear, you underrate my power or overrate my patience."

"There are English gentlemen in Oxford. On what plea could you induce them to think that an English lady should be placed in a dungeon?"

"Yes, there are English gentlemen here, and some French gentlemen as well. They are unanimous in their detestation of a spy, male or female. Your men we shall hang out of hand, and there will be little difficulty about the pleasing task. I shall myself plead that your life be spared, and they will agree. Everything will be done with that beautiful legality which the English so much admire, but even from this moment you are entirely in my power, and a sensible woman should not need so much argument to convince her that the situation is hopeless."

"Armstrong is no spy."

"I have difficulty in proving he is not. I am glad to note that you admit by inference that you are a spy."

"I can prove he is not a spy."

"Your evidence would be tainted. You are an accomplice. Besides, you could not clear him without condemning yourself."

"Such will I gladly do, I glory in that I would sacrifice myself with joy to save William Armstrong, the awkward Scot, as you called him. Besides, one word from me to Armstrong will transfer the danger to you. He will break you like a reed."

"Indeed, my dear, you do yourself injustice in threatening me. You shall have no opportunity of speaking your one word, for when next we meet, if we part now without coming to amicable arrangement, you will be on your knees to me pleading for his life."

"That will I not. I shall go to the king."

"Frances, you dishearten me and cast grave doubts on the possession of that sound sense with which I credited you. Was your first appeal to the king for a man's life so successful that you build hopes on a second?"

"If Charles had kept his word with me then he would not now be engaged in Oxford. He abandoned my father and clung to such as you, and not a foot of English ground remains to him but what he stands on."

"What would have happened had Strafford lived, neither you nor I can tell, and all discussion thereon is aside from our present purpose. Will you make terms with me?"

"I will not."

"You prefer the dungeon?"

"You dare not imprison me."

"Why?"

"Your master will not allow you."

"My dear, let me put a quietus forever upon your mad idea that any help is to be expected from the king. I beg you to believe that I speak the exact truth. Do you know what the king thinks of you?"

"He does not think of me at all. He has forgotten me."

"Pardon me. There you are mistaken. He thinks you came to Whitehall the day of your father's death to assassinate him. He believes that I implored my life to save his. The scars of your claws, however repulsive they may be to others, are to him a constant reminder of his supposed debt to me. Judge you then, my dear, what your position in Oxford would be did the king but dream you had crept surreptitiously into his stronghold. Need I say more?"

"No. But you should have paid better heed to what I said."

"What did you say?"

"I said your master would not permit you to injure me."

"But I have shown you that the king..."

"I am not speaking of the king. Your master is Oliver Cromwell."

Either the cross on his face became redder or the sudden pallor of his other features made it appear so. Slowly he withdrew his elbows from the table and leaned back in his chair, moistening his lips, gazing on the girl with the intensity of a newborn fear. She sat motionless, returning his look without flinching. For some moments the room was as silent as if it were deserted. At last he spoke huskily:

"What do you expect to gain by making so absurd a statement?"

The girl rose, with a gesture of impatience, walked to the window and back, then to the window again, and unfatigued a latch that let free a latticed sash, as if the room stifled her and she wanted air. Then she exclaimed:

"Oh, let us have a truce to this fooling. I am tired of it. You say I shall beg on my knees to you, but you have mistaken your own attitude for mine. Why do I make such a statement? Because Cromwell is in Northampton that if I met difficulty in Oxford you, his spy, would assist me."

"Heavens!"

"Aye, heavens! You did not think such a man would blab out secrets of death to a woman, but there is this to say on his behalf, that he was merely recommending one spy to another. He thought mutual safety would be their bond of union, and he was right."

"Then you knew you would meet me in Oxford? Why did you seem so distraught when the event happened? That was acting, I suppose, to fall the easier into the arms of the Scot."

"I had no need to act to bring that about. I hoped to avoid you, and would have done so but for the chance encounter. And now you see, sir, that my peril is as nothing to yours. I have but to strike upon this leaded pane and cry to the officers passing in the street: 'I am the daughter of Lord Strafford. Help me, for here I am engaged with a French spy, a creature who has sold king and comrades for Cromwell's gold.'"

"Do not speak so loud, woman! There is no need for frenzy. I did but jest when I spoke of molesting you."

"I am in no jesting mood."

"You do not need to tell me that. I am quite willing to further your bests, if you but trust me and tell me what you want."

(To Be Continued.)

—Assistant Store Keeper Ben Evans, of the I. C., has returned from Clifton, Tenn., where he was called by the death of his father.

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In July, 1883, I began to break out with Eczema on my head, legs and arms, and began treatment with local doctors, but did not get much relief. They said the disease had become chronic. I then quit them and tried various ointments and soaps for another two years, but as soon as cold weather came I was as bad off as ever, so I finally decided to let medicine alone, and for twelve or thirteen years did nothing towards curing the Eczema, except bathing. This seemed to do about as much good as anything I had tried.

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London, Feb. 20.—The mystery surrounding the disappearance of Maj. Harry Pakenham, while on his honeymoon at Folkestone, Kent, last week, has been partially cleared up by the discovery of his body on the seashore near there.

Maj. Pakenham was a son of Gen. Ralph Pakenham and his mother was a daughter of William Clarke, of New York. He married February 7, in London, Miss Markham, sister of the late Lady Annesley, and was staying with his bride at a hotel in Folkestone. Three days after the marriage Maj. Pakenham went out for a stroll, telling his wife that he would not be long. The next day his overcoat was found in the harbor, and a note in a pocket said he was sick, and saw no prospect of getting better. Major Pakenham contracted enteric fever during the South African war.

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Mr. Haraiah is a young man, but there is not a better railroad man or a more pleasant gentleman to be found in the ranks of his profession. The position to which he was Saturday elected by the directors of the road show that they are fully aware of his worth and ability.

The position of assistant general manager is abolished, and Mr. I. G. Rawn, who held the place, has been promoted to the position of general manager to succeed Mr. Haraiah.

Mr. F. B. Harriman has been made general superintendent of I. C. lines north of the Ohio river, and will report to Second Vice-President J. T. Haraiah. At present Mr. Harriman is superintendent of the Chicago division.

W. J. Haraiah will report to the second vice-president, J. T. Haraiah. The new vice-president has come up through the ranks by means of twenty-two years of faithful service with the Illinois Central. He began there as a messenger boy in 1881. For two years he was in the engineering department of the Chesapeake and Ohio road.

General Manager Rawn has been with the company about two years. He came to the Illinois Central from the Baltimore and Ohio Southwest, where he held the position of general superintendent.

OFFICIALS SUSPENDED.

Mayor of Knoxville Takes Drastic Steps in Investigation.

Knoxville, Tenn., Feb. 20.—At a session of the city council a committee of three, which has investigated charges against the city physician and health officer relating to the conduct of affairs in the vicinity of the smallpox hospital, reported holding them guilty under the evidence on several charges involving mismanagement. It had been reported that hogs were kept within the enclosure, that carcasses of dead animals were dumped within the enclosure and that hogs were allowed to devour some of their carcasses; that the stench was bad, etc. Two members of the committee asked the immediate suspension of the officials. This Mayor Gass did as soon as the official report had been read.

A committee of the council will read all testimony produced before the committee and decide whether or not the city physician shall be placed on trial before the council. The health officer is a creature of the board of public works, and will have to be tried or dismissed by that body.

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RUSSIAN CONVICT.

Sent Up From Shelby County and Refuses to Talk.

Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 20.—As the convicts at the main prison were marching by the members of the legislative committee to take their places at the dinner table, one of the committeemen, pointing to a Russian prisoner, who never raised his eyes, said: "See that man? He has, I understand, since his arrival at the prison, never been known to communicate with any one, and will not talk to his fellow prisoners. There has been one exception, however, for he did once talk for a few moments to a woman of his race."

The striped coat bore the number 1725 and upon looking at the books he was entered from Shelby county on the charge of murder on January 23 of last year. He had killed a Greek, and has been conspicuous by his dislike to conversation. The authorities at the prison declare his continued silence is unprecedented in the history of the institution, but that he makes a good convict. He has two years yet to devote to the state.

Itch—Ringworm.

E. T. Lucas, Wingo, Ky., writes April 25th, 1902: "For 10 to 12 years I had been afflicted with a malady known as the 'itch.' The itching was most unbearable. I had tried for years to find relief, having tried all remedies I could hear of, besides a number of doctors. I wish to state that one single application of Ballard's Snow Liniment cured me completely and permanently. Since then I have used the liniment on two separate occasions for ringworm and it cured completely. 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 bottle. DuBois, Kolb & Co., Paducah, Ky."

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KENTUCKY NEWS TOLD IN PARAGRAPHS

Indicted in Hopkins County.

Madisonville, Ky., Feb. 20.—The grand jury of the Hopkins circuit court returned indictments against Jeff Morgan and John Hall, charging them with the murder of Perd Lutz last November. Young Hall and Lutz became involved in a quarrel, which resulted in Lutz throwing a brick at Hall, striking him on the leg, whereupon Morgan hit Lutz over the head with a club, killing him instantly. Hall was placed in jail here and Morgan, who has been out on bail, will be put in jail to await his trial. Hall and Morgan are brothers-in-law.

Stockyards Burned.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 20.—Fire destroyed the Union stockyards Sunday morning between 12:30 and 1 o'clock, entailing a loss of \$12,000. There were twelve jacks and two stallions burned to death. The stockyards belonged to J. F. Cook & Co. The Bluegrass stockyards were burned on the same site twelve years ago and at that time the loss was \$25,000.

Judgment for \$17,000.

Harrodsburg, Ky., Feb. 20.—In the circuit court here the jury in the case of the administrator of John Scanlon against the Southern railway returned a verdict for \$17,000 damages. At the last term of court a verdict for \$15,000 was given, which was set aside by the judge. Scanlon was an engineer on the Southern, and was killed in a

collision between his train and a work train near Harrodsburg last June.

Attempts to Commit Suicide.

Clarksville, Ten., Feb. 20.—Thos. Girwin, of Logan county, Ky., attempted to commit suicide with a knife. He made a terrible gash in his throat, but did not sever his jugular vein. No reason was assigned for the act. He is in a critical condition, but may recover.

City Supervisors Work.

The city supervisors have finished their work of hearing protests and will this week complete their work and be ready to report at the following regular meeting of the legislative boards. They have been in session twice as long as the law permits, but have had a great deal of work to do. It is estimated that in addition to listing a number of pieces of property overlooked by the assessor, they have made raises aggregating \$250,000.

Funeral Notice.

The funeral service of J. W. Coles, a member of Hope Commandery, order of the Golden Cross, will take place at the C. P. church Tuesday February 21, at 2:30 o'clock p. m. Members of Hope commandery are hereby notified and all members of Banner and Mechanicsburg commanderies are requested to be at the hall, 428 1/2 Broadway, at 1 o'clock.

J. E. POTTER, N. C.

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GOOD SHOW.

"Sign of the Four," Sherlock Holmes' Play, Here Again Tonight.

"The Sign of the Four" was presented to a large matinee Saturday at the Kentucky and Saturday night to a small crowd, but is one of the most thrilling melodramas ever seen in Paducah. It is a story of Sherlock Holmes, and is one of the best. It is a play that is famous, and it is cleverly presented by the company that Mr. E. H. Robinson offered twice Saturday and offers again tonight at the Kentucky theater. The company had an open date today and decided to remain here for another performance.

NOT DECIDED.

Judge Has Not Passed On Motion for a New Trial.

Attorney Hal Corbett has received a letter from James Ezell, convicted at Uniontown, Pa., of murder in the first degree, saying that the judge has not yet decided the motion for a new trial, but that the general opinion is that he will grant one. The motion was argued by Attorney Corbett sometime ago, but no decision is expected for several days yet, and possibly none will be rendered this week.

The Lights Better.

The lights at the new market house have been greatly improved since Saturday, Supt. Kebbler, of the city plant, having changed them.

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Theatrical Notes

Wilton Lackaye's adaptation of Victor Hugo's masterpiece, "Les Misérables," is to be one big feature of that actor's repertoire next season. The play is called "Jean Villjean" and is said to be very strong. It will introduce some extraordinary effects, among them a cinematograph change from behind the scenes that will be startling as well as novel. Mr. Lackaye will produce the plays that are to constitute his large repertoire in Pittsburgh and Chicago during the coming summer.

Robert Mantell, who is to appear under the management of Wm. A. Brady for the next five years, is to be seen in sumptuous revivals of the Shakespearian plays. As the recognized exponent of the great and tragic characters of the master, Mr. Mantell's position in this country is unassailable and unassailable. "Richard III." is to be followed by "Othello," and each season during the pendency of the contract one other Shakespearian drama will be added to the repertoire.

De Wolf Hopper, who has been coining money through the country in the William A. Brady and Sam S. Shubert's revival of "Wang," is to appear next season in a new opera, entitled "Elysia," by Reginald De Koven.

Figuratively as literally, Mr. Howe "electrifies" every spectator of his fine exhibition of life-size and life-like moving pictures, which will be presented at The Kentucky on Friday night. The true reasons of great success are common to all achievement. It is by infinite and painstaking attention to every phase and detail of the mechanical and electrical points of moving pictures, combined with a native ingenuity and resource that characterizes and distinguishes the Lyman H. Howe exhibition over every similar exhibition in existence. The program throughout possesses that rare charm and fascination of pleasing alike, old and young. In many cities the exhibition is now on its twentieth semi-annual visit. Surely no more could be said for the sterling merits of any attraction.

The many clever musical numbers in "A Chinese Honeymoon" which will be the attraction at the Kentucky, matinee and night, next Wednesday, has made it one of the most important productions of its kind that has been seen on the stage during the last four years. Music lovers and theater going people generally have given the opera the verdict of their approval and have pronounced it the cleverest composition of its kind since the presentation of "Erminie" and "Robin Hood." The opera is presented with all the required scenery and accessories and the costumes are among the prettiest that have been seen in any of the great New York successes. The company is composed of some of the very best people seen nowadays on the comic opera stage.

In the seven years of its existence "Way Down East," that evergreen pastoral of New England, which has just celebrated its seventh birthday, has made over \$125,000 for its manager, William A. Brady.

If the weather is favorable the Paducah Gun club will hold its first live bird shoot of the season at Wallace park the first Tuesday in March.

NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

The Organd, one of Price's floating palace towboats, will be let off the ways tomorrow, and the Mary Golden will be hauled out. She is also of the Price fleet.

The gauge today is 16.3, a fall of one foot since yesterday.

The weather is cloudy and warmer with heavy fog over the river in the morning.

The Dick Fowler left at 8 a. m. for Cairo.

The H. W. Buttorff arrived last night from Nashville and left today at noon for Clarksville.

The Clyde leaves Wednesday for Tennessee river.

The United States Gas, Coal and Coke company sent a boat up about Carrsville yesterday to try to reach the Harvester, which has been ice bound for several weeks. A quantity of dynamite was taken up to loosen the big towboat and her barges, but there was no intention of trying to clear the channel and no effort was made to do so.

The Little Clyde left today for Danville, Tenn., after ties. Capt. Sam Johnson is in charge.

Capt. W. H. Edwards brought the Buckham out from Fort Henry today with 14,000 ties.

The Duffy is repairing boilers, and may leave tomorrow for Tennessee river.

The work of raising the Mary N. is still progressing but the boat will likely not be raised until the water has receded a great deal. The report that she had broken in two was current but this proved to be erroneous. The hog chain on one side parted and this started the report that the craft had broken in two.

To find a friend in a crowd you must scan every face in it—until you see the one you are looking for. To find the want ad. which spells "opportunity" for you it may be necessary to read all of the want ads. regularly.

Both Patients Better.

Blount Hodge, at Smithland, who was wounded by Dr. F. G. La Rue, is better. Several Paducah persons were at Smithland yesterday looking at the ice, having gone up on a gasoline boat, and inquired of him. Bynum Green, at Mayfield, who was also shot last week, is much better.

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SUED BY A MAN FOR COMMIS-SION ON BANK DEAL.

Claims Former Paducah Banker Promised to Make Him Cashier for His Work.

W. B. Smith, formerly of the Globe Bank and Trust company, Paducah, has been sued at Louisville for \$3,800 by R. H. Courtney, who alleges he secured the option by which Mr. Smith obtained control of the bank. The Lexington Leader gives the following particulars:

On the claim that he had negotiated the sale of the controlling interest in the Western Bank, Louisville, which changed hands last May, R. H. Courtney, stock broker, a former resident of Lexington, has filed suit for \$3,800 against W. B. Smith, the purchaser. Mr. Courtney alleges that he secured through Christian

Steger, president of the bank, option for 760 shares of stock, which represented the controlling interest. The option was dated April 19, 1904, and was for thirty days. The price was placed at \$105 a share, but later the sale was made at par. On May 17 the deal was still in the negotiation state and Mr. Courtney declares in his petition that he secured a ten-days' extension.

According to the petition it was agreed that Mr. Courtney should, when the institution was reorganized into a national bank, be elected cashier at a salary of \$2,500 a year, and that this should be his remuneration for securing the option and assisting in the negotiations. After the negotiations were completed and the controlling interest taken over by the defendant it was discovered by Mr. Smith that he could not make the bank a national bank with a capitalization of less than \$300,000. This was done and the petition alleges that T. L. Jefferson was elected cashier at a salary of \$5,000 a year. The plaintiff says that he should therefore receive the usual broker's remuneration of 5 per cent. on the purchase price, or \$3,800.

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